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401983720

Date Received:

03/25/2019

FIR RESOLUTION FORM

CA Summary:

1 of 1 CAs from the FIR responded to on this Form

1 CA Completed
0 Factual Review Request

OPERATOR INFORMATION

OGCC Operator Number: 69175

Name of Operator: PDC ENERGY INC

Address: 1775 SHERMAN STREET - STE 3000

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80203

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COGCC INSPECTION SUMMARY:

FIR Document Number: 679600415

Inspection Date: 02/26/2019

FIR Submit Date: 02/27/2019

FIR Status: _____

Inspected Operator Information:

Company Name: PDC ENERGY INC

Company Number: 69175

Address: 1775 SHERMAN STREET - STE 3000

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80203

LOCATION - Location ID: 322708

Location Name: ARNOLD-65N65W Number: 5SENE County: WELD

Qtrqr: SENE Sec: 5 Twp: 5N Range: 65W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.430416 Longitude: -104.680178

FACILITY - API Number: 05-123-00 Facility ID: 244120

Facility Name: ARNOLD Number: 1

Qtrqr: SENE Sec: 5 Twp: 5N Range: 65W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.430416 Longitude: -104.680178

CORRECTIVE ACTIONS:

1 ☒ CA# 122741

Corrective Action: Location is within a floodplain, containment berms around the tanks must be made of steel or another engineer equivalent per Rule 603.h.(2)C. Refer to the 603.h guidance document for further details.

Date: 03/26/2019

Response: CA COMPLETED

Date of Completion: 03/19/2019

Operator Comment: Earthen containment berms around the tank are retro-fitted with open pipe fencing as an alternate engineering technology in compliance with Rule 603.h.(2).C. Attached is a schematic of PDC's open pipe fencing. The Commissions Floodplain Rule 603.h Guidance identifies such fencing as an "alternate technology" that provides "equivalent protection from floodwaters and debris". The Guidance further explains that locations that use appropriate alternative technologies shall be deemed "in compliance with this Rule as a variance per Rule 603.h.(2).E. Accordingly, no variance should be necessary for the use of open pipe fencing, which is a requirement for

Weld County. See attached Weld County Floodplain permit (FHDP15-0017).

COGCC Decision: Approved pending re-inspection

COGCC
Representative:

OPERATOR COMMENT AND SUBMITTAL

Comment:

I hereby certify that the statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.

Print Name: Tyranny Bergin

Signed: _____

Title: EHS Coordinator

Date: 3/25/2019 1:36:13 PM

ATTACHMENT LIST

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<u>Document Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
401983720	FIR RESOLUTION SUBMITTED
401983757	Floodplain Equipment Drawing
401983758	Wel Co Floodplain Permit

Total Attach: 3 Files